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ernment of the United States is NOW

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tional problems which are NOW in

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# Announcement

## SNYDER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

### Course of Study

1915-16

#### SESSION BEGINS

September 13, 1915

E. A. WATSON, Superintendent

#### Faculty

Prof. B. D. Black, Principal High School Science  
Prof. S. L. Rives, English  
Prof. J. L. Glanville, History  
Miss Anna Mae Klapproth, Latin and German

#### Grammar School

Seventh Grade ..... Miss Vera Heath  
Sixth Grade ..... Mrs. W. P. Ralston  
Fifth Grade ..... Miss Veda Maxwell  
Fourth Grade ..... Miss Maggie Lee Hull  
Third and High Second, ..... Miss Gladys Clark  
First and Low Second ..... Miss Nannie Ball

#### Colonial Hill.

Miss Zada Maxwell, ..... Principal  
Miss Ida Kelly, ..... Primary

#### North Ward.

Miss Lela Porter, ..... Principal  
Miss Mary Heath, ..... Primary

#### PRIMARY DEPARTMENT

##### First Grade.

READING—First Term, Chart and black-board. Playmates Primer. Second Term, Arnolds Primer; Hills Reader, Book 1; Art Literature 1, and additional supplementary reading as may be prescribed.

SPELLING—First Term, Words from Chart, Primer and conversation. Second Term, Words from readers and from conversation.

WRITING—Book No. 1.

LANGUAGE—As outlined by the teacher throughout the year.

NUMBERS—First Journeys in Number-

land in the hands of the teacher to page 82.

GENERAL LESSONS—Health talks, local geography, songs and nature study.

##### Second Grade.

READING—Hill's Book 2; Elson's Book 2 Progressive Book 2; Art Literature Book 2; SPELLING—New Century Speller through second grade work. Also spell words from readers.

WRITING—Book No. 2. Much practice in free hand and muscular writing.

LANGUAGE—Our Language book No. 1 to Section 71.

NUMBERS—First Journeys in Number-

land completed.

GENERAL LESSONS—Health Talks, local geography and nature study.

##### Third Grade.

READER—Progressive Reader Book 3; Hill's Reader Book 3; Art Literature Book 3; Elson's Reader Book 3. Easy reading matter found in magazines and journals from the homes of the pupils.

SPELLING—New Century Speller to page 65. Also spell all new words acquired in reading and other work.

WRITING—Book No. 3. Much practice in freehand and muscular writing.

LANGUAGE—Complete Our Language Book No. 1.

NUMBERS—S. & B. Lower book to page 123. Much drill in mental arithmetic.

GEOGRAPHY—World Geography Book 1 to page 86. Review.

GENERAL LESSONS—Health talks and nature study. Songs.

##### Fourth Grade.

READING—Progressive Book 4; Hill's Reader Book 4; Elson's Reader Book 4 and such material from the magazines and newspapers from the homes of the pupils as will be of interest to the pupils.

SPELLING—New Century Speller to page 86. Spell all words acquired from other studies.

WRITING—Book No. 4. Much practice in freehand writing and muscular movement.

LANGUAGE—Book No. 2 to page 110.

NUMBERS—S. & B. Arithmetic Book 1 to page 202. Much drill in mental processes will be required.

GEOGRAPHY—World Geography from page 86 to end and review.

GENERAL LESSONS—First Book of Health; Nature Study and Songs.

#### INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

##### Fifth Grade.

READING—Hill's Reader Book 5; Elson's Reader Book 5; Beginners History of Our Country and such reading matter as may be found in current magazines that will be of interest to the pupils.

SPELLING—New Century Speller to page

WRITING—Book No. 5. Much drill in freehand and muscular writing will be required.

LANGUAGE—Book 2 to page 234.

ARITHMETIC—Book One Completed. Review and drill in fundamentals.

GEOGRAPHY—World Geography Book 2 to page 148.

PHYSIOLOGY—The Human Body and Its Enemies to Chapter 23.

GENERAL LESSONS—Continue Songs and Nature Study.

##### Sixth Grade.

READING—Elson's Sixth Grade Reader; Classics from which subjects will be taken for themes. One theme each month must be written.

SPELLING—New Century Speller to page 135. Spell all words acquired from other studies.

HISTORY—A School History of Texas Completed.

WRITING—Book 6. Much practice in freehand and muscular writing will be required.

GRAMMAR—Our Language Grammar to page 126.

ARITHMETIC—S. & B. Higher to page 178. Hopkins and Underwood's Mental Arithmetic. Drill on fundamentals.

GEOGRAPHY—World Book 2 to page 256.

PHYSIOLOGY—The Human Body and Its Enemies completed.

GENERAL LESSONS—Nature Study and Songs.

##### Seventh Grade.

READING—Elson's Seventh Grade Reader. Classics from which subjects for themes will be taken. One theme each month will be required.

SPELLING—New Century Speller to page 184. Spell all words acquired from other studies.

HISTORY—Students History of Our Country complete.

WRITING—Much attention will be paid to freehand and muscular writing. Legibility in writing in the seventh grade will be required before pupils can be promoted to the High School.

GRAMMAR—Our Language Grammar completed.

ARITHMETIC—S. & B. Higher Book to page 344.

AGRICULTURE—Elementary principles of Agriculture complete. Read, Story of Cotton.

GEOGRAPHY—Complete and review Book No. 2.

#### HIGH SCHOOL.

##### Freshman Year.

ENGLISH—Herrick and Damon's Composition to page 274; Classics: Sketch Book, Lady of the Lake, Lays of Ancient Rome, and The Vision of Sir Launfal.

PARALLEL READINGS: Treasure Island and Last of The Mohicans. Franklin's Autobiography.

MATHEMATICS—Wentworth's New School Algebra to page 174.

ARITHMETIC—Ray's New Practical complete. One full High School credit.

HISTORY—Ancient History. Myer's Revised.

SCIENCE—First Year Science by Clark.

LATIN—Collar and Daniel's First Year Latin.

##### Sophomore Year.

ENGLISH—Herrick and Damon's Composition and Rhetoric Completed. Classics: The Ancient Mariner, Snow Bound and Other Poems by Whittier, Julius Caesar, Poe's Poems and Tales. Parallel Reading: Ivanhoe and Ramona.

MATHEMATICS—Wentworth's New School Algebra Completed including Graphs.

HISTORY—Medieval and Modern History. Myers.

SCIENCE—Physical Geography. Tarr's; Physiology. Ritchie's Human Physiology.

LATIN—Caesar's Gallic Wars Books 1, 2, 3 and 4. Prose Composition once a week.

GERMAN—Bacon's German Grammar with easy reading and conversation in the last part of the year.

##### Junior Year.

ENGLISH—Newcomer's American Literature, complete. Classics: As You Like It, Coriolanus, Essay on Burns, The Tempest; Parallel Reading: Tale of Two Cities and Kenilworth.

MATHEMATICS—Plain Geometry. Wentworth Smith's Revised, complete. All originals.

HISTORY—Cheney's Short English History.

SCIENCE—Warren's Elements of Agriculture. Laboratory work twice each week.

LATIN—Cicero: The Manilian Law and Books 1, 2, 3, 4 of the Oration against Catiline.

GERMAN—Review of Grammar; Im Vaterland, Immensae, Alles und Neues, Anfang und Ende. One theme each month written in German. German conversation emphasized.

##### Senior Year.

ENGLISH—Newcomer's English Literature, complete. Classics: Macbeth, Burke's Conciliation, Milton's Minor Poems, Macaulay's Essay on Milton, Tennyson's Shorter Poems, and Hamlet. Parallel Readings: Scars and Lillies and Romola.

MATHEMATICS—Wentworth Smith's Solid Geometry Complete and reviews in Arithmetic or Algebra.

HISTORY—American History, Cousins and Hill, Clives (Adapted Text.)

SCIENCE—Physics including two labo-

LATIN—Virgil's Aeneid, Books 1 to 6 inclusive. Prose Composition once each week. Constant use will be made of A. & G. Latin Grammar through all the grades.

GERMAN—Der Geisbub von Engleberg and other easy reading matter as selected. Themes each month will be required and German conversation emphasized.

Each subject in the High School counts

one High School credit except Physiography

and Physiology. These together count one unit.

Four units each in English, History, and Math-

ematics is required for all graduates. Eighteen

units in all are required. Two credits in each

of two languages may be counted toward

graduation but we recommend only one foreign

language and it completed. Four units in

Science are offered, five in Mathematics, four

in English, four in History, four in Latin and

three in German, making twenty-four in addi-

tion, we offer one half credit for society work

each year of the High School course.

We also offer an irregular course which

may be taken by students upon approval only.

This course will be such as will prepare pupils

to take the State Examinations for Certifi-

ates to teach.

Pupils who are in doubt as to classification

should consult the Superintendent before the

opening of the schools if possible.

A list of books together with the prices of

same will be found on another page.

#### PRICE LIST OF BOOKS USED IN SNYDER SCHOOLS 1915-1916.

#### GRAYUM DRUG COMPANY, DEPOSITORY

##### GRAMMAR First Grade

Playmates Primer ..... 18c

Arnold's Primer ..... 22c

Hill Reader, Book 1 ..... 18c

Art Literature, Book 1 ..... 25c

First Journeys in Numberland ..... 39c

##### Second Grade

Hill's Reader, Book 2 ..... 25c

Art Literature, Book 2 ..... 35c

New Century Speller ..... 18c

Our Language, Book 1 ..... 28c

First Journeys in Numberland ..... 30c

##### Third Grade

Hill's Reader, Book 3 ..... 30c

Art Literature, Book 3 ..... 45c

New Century Speller ..... 18c

Our Language, Book 1 ..... 28c

S. & B. Lower Arithmetic ..... 22c

World Geography, Book 1 ..... 48c

##### Fourth Grade

Hill's Reader, Book 4 ..... 35c

Elson's Reader, Book 4 ..... 40c

New Century Speller ..... 18c

Our Language, Book 2 ..... 34c

S. & B. Lower Arithmetic ..... 22c

World Geography, Book 2 ..... 88c

Human Body and Its Enemies ..... 65c

##### Sixth Grade

Elson's Reader, Book 6 ..... 44c